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CONFIRMATION NO. 8615

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Additional claim fees of \$1754 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

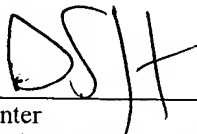
Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$2654** for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is **\$1754**
 - **\$602** for **7** independent claims over 3.
 - **\$1152** for **64** total claims over 20.

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE



PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 1220.0013-01

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Gregg S. BAKER) Group Art Unit: 3765
Application No.: 10/821,264) Examiner: Not yet known
Filed: April 9, 2004)
For: HEAD STABILIZING SYSTEM) Confirmation No.: 8615

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Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is a reply to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (NTFMP) of June 22, 2004. The items checked below are appropriate:

- ☒ Applicant encloses the filing fee for a small entity of **\$385.00**.
- ☒ Applicant encloses the surcharge fee for Response to NTFMP for a small entity nonprovisional application of **\$65.00**.

The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	84	-	20	64	x \$ 18	\$ 1,152.00
Indep.	10	-	3	7	x \$ 86	602.00
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Subtotal						\$ 1,754.00
Reduction by ½ if small entity						- 877.00
TOTAL						\$ 877.00

- ☒ A fee of **\$877.00** to cover the cost of the additional claims is enclosed.

- ☒ A fee of \$40.00 to cover Recordation of Assignment is enclosed.
- ☒ A check for \$1,367.00 to cover all of the above fees is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Dated: August 17, 2004

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE
MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

In response to the communication of June 22, 2004, Applicant submits an executed Declaration/Power of Attorney for filing in this application, a small entity filing fee of \$385, an extra claim fee of \$877.00, the required surcharge payment of \$65.00, and a copy of the Notice of Missing Parts.

Please associate the enclosed declaration with the application, grant any extensions of time required to enter this response, and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account no. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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